

## Message Text

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SUBJ : VISIT OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NIGERIAN INSTITUTE FOR SOCIAL  
AND ECONOMIC RESEARCH (NISER) FOR STUDY OF THE SHOE  
MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY.

1. THE FMG HAS COMMISSIONED THE NIGERIAN INSTITUTE FOR SOCIAL  
AND ECONOMIC RESEARCH TO UNDERTAKE A STUDY OF THE SHOE MANUFACTURING  
INDUSTRY THROUGHOUT THE DEVELOPED AND UNDERDEVELOPED WORLD. THIS  
TEAMS IS ALSO SUPPOSED TO INVESTIGATE THE DIFFERENT METHODS  
BY WHICH ARMIES IN OTHER COUNTRIES PROCURE THEIR SHOES AND UNIFORMS.  
THIS TEAM WILL TRAVEL TO OTHER COUNTRIES IN AFRICA, COUNTRIES IN  
EUROPE AND THE U.S.

2. THE NISER TEAM IS COMPOSED OF MR. BASIL U.N. IGWE, PRINCIPAL  
CONSULTANT AND MS. CIVTORIA ADEKOYA, CONSULTANT. THEY PLAN TO  
BE IN THE U.S. ONE WEEK IN EARLY SEPTEMBER AND WOULD LIKE COMMERCE  
AND DEFENSE ASSISTANCE IN THEIR EFFORTS.

3. THEY WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS OF SHOES,  
SUPPLIERS OF SHOE-MAKING EQUIPMENT AND OFFICERS IN THE DEPARTMENT  
OF DEFENSE WHO PURCHASE SHOES AND UNIFORMS FOR SOLDIERS.

4. EMBOFF SUGGEST THAT YOU CONTACT JOHN STOKES, GENESCO,  
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UNIVERSAL, F-260, 111 SEVENTH AVENUE, NASHVILLE, TENN. 37202,  
TELEPHONE (615) 367-7166 AND ARRANGE APPOINTMENT WITH THAT COMPANY.  
THEY ARE PRESENTLY SELLING LARGE CONSIGNMENT OF BOOTS TO THE ARMY.  
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